

Wow. You really know how to kick a country when it's down. At a time when I hoped that people such as yourself would be rethinking their positions and it's importance to the future of democracy, possibly even getting in touch with their civil conscience, you have elected to covertly slip in and steal from the American public their last little shreds of defense against the total corporate oppressed version of reality over our public airwaves. I am urging you to think about what you are potentially depriving your future relatives of; reality-based news access. Without some kind of newspaper-broadcast cross-ownership ban, we are all screwed. I realize that the news these days is practically one infomercial after another, disguised with big daddy's Pete and Tom, but here is your chance, perhaps the last chance you have to make a difference in this world and save just a little chip of democracy. It is so not necessary to do away with this ban; as you know, most corporations can get around this via a subsidiary anyway. So WHY DO THIS? Why now? Why- at all? If you are so truly committed to a non-democracy based society, go live in one. Oh, but at this rate, you won't have to move to be there.....